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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No. 5884.0020-03	
Applicant(s): Frampton E. Ellis, III					
Serial No. 09/993,665	Filing Date November 27, 2001	Examiner NA	Group Art Unit 3728		
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Frampton E. ELLIS, III)
Serial No.: 09/993,665) Group Art Unit: 3728
Filed: November 27, 2001) Examiner: Not yet assigned.
For: SHOE SOLE STRUCTURES)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-20 without prejudice to resubmission. Please add new claims 21-

49 as set forth below:

--21. A sole suitable for an athletic shoe comprising:

a sole outer surface;

a sole inner surface;

the sole surfaces defining a sole medial side, a sole lateral side and a sole middle portion

located between said sole sides;

a sole forefoot area at a location substantially corresponding to the location of a forefoot

of an intended wearer's foot when inside the shoe;

a sole heel area at a location substantially corresponding to the location of a heel of an

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